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Dominion Forest Reserves

The means adopted for preserving them from fire

The greatest problem of Canadian forestry to-day is the protection of the forests from fire, and it is one that the Forestry Branch of the Department of the Interior is trying hard to solve.

This protection has naturally been more fully provided for on the forest reserves than on the immense areas of forest which are still unreserved. On these reserves there is a force of rangers, permanently employed, who keep up a constant and careful patrol of the beat assigned them. Like the other fire rangers, these post up notices (printed on a patented sort of cloth, practically indestructible) cautioning against the setting of fire, warn settlers in the neighborhood of reserves against carelessness in setting fires to clear land, or for other purposes, and "keep tabs" on campers and sportsmen going into the reserves and impress on them the need of caution in the management of camp-fires, matches etc.

But in addition to this special measures have been put in practice on the reserves for the prevention of fires. In a word these measures comprise the burning and ploughing of fire-guards, the making of roads, the supervision of settlers in the making of their slashings and the disposal of the resulting brush and the supervision of the spark-arresters placed in locomotives which pass through the reserves.

In the early spring, when the snow has gone from the open country but while it is still lying in the forest the rangers burn the grass along the boundaries of the reserves, so as to prevent fires from coming from outside and getting into the reserves. A total of ninety one miles of such fire-guard was made on various Dominion forest reserves during 1909. The rangers also supervise the burning by the railways of grass and brush along their right-of-way.

Ploughed fire-guard are also made where possible, not only along the boundaries of the reserves but also in the reserves themselves. In making these guards a strip eight furrows wide is ploughed, and on the danger side another strip, four furrows wide and distance from the first strip four rods, is ploughed. The strip between the ploughed strips is disced harrowed in spring and fall. During last year the Cypress Hills reserve in Alberta, was surrounded by a guard of this description, several miles of guard being constructed. The railways have also ploughed guards along their lines where these cross the reserves.

As opportunity offers, the rangers construct roads through the reserves. These are found of the greatest usefulness in case a fire breaks out. Not only can men and supplies be conveyed to the various parts of the reserve reached by the road with despatch, but the roads themselves will often stop a fire, provided it has not attained a large size. Where the fire has reached large proportions the road can be used to back-fire from. Along the roads, too, rangers can more efficiently patrol the areas under their charge. During 1909 almost two hundred miles of road were cut along the boundaries of the reserves, at an average cost for a road nine feet wide is \$12.83. Eleven miles of sixteen-foot roadway was also made into the interior of the Moose Mountain reserve in Saskatchewan, and 78 miles of road cleared in the Porcupine reserve.

By these and other measures the management of the reserves is striving to do away with the constant menace of fire. Further information on these and other points may be obtained in the annual report of the Superintendent of Forestry (especially in the report of the Inspector of Forest Reserves) which forms part of the annual report of the Department of the Interior, lately issued.

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AROUND THE TOWN

Wm. Laurence of Toronto, Ont., was in our burg on Monday last.

C. R. Murviel, a travelling Agent from Montreal, Que., was a guest at the Alberta Hotel on Wednesday.

Money to loan on improved farms, and town property, no commission, no delay, you get the money in a few days. See Hultgren and Davis.

W. N. Tompkins, the man with the car of potatoes, from Edmonton was in town on Monday.

Geo. B. Davis, of Calgary, visited our burg on Monday last. He was out for game.

Editha Irons, a travelling agent from Toronto, Ont., was in Crossfield on Thursday.

Timmins Raez of Rawdonville, was registered at the Alberta Hotel on Sunday last.

LOST—From the Farmers' Meat Market, a counter check book. It may have been carried off with some one's parcels. Parties having or knowing of same, kindly return to the meat market and receive a reward.

BORN—On Friday, November 4th, 1910, to Mr. and Mrs. Willard Graham, a son.

A large gang of C.P.R. workmen are at present situated in Crossfield, raising the track and making other necessary improvements.

For Sale—A few S. C. Brown Leghorn cockers, \$1.00 and \$1.50 each, these are all nice birds. Apply to J. A. Sackett.

Harry E. Stockton of Calgary was in town on Thursday last.

The Farmers' Meat Market will ship over 1200 lbs. of dressed chickens to Calgary on Saturday.

E. H. Taaffe of Winnipeg was a visitor in Crossfield on Tuesday last.

Messrs. Jas. Francis, and Peter Lennon of Edmonton were registered at the Alberta Hotel on Wednesday.

Messrs. R. S. Coutley, H. Smith, Mr. Doherty and Mr. Reynolds, all of Calgary, were registered at the Alberta Hotel on Friday.

Mr. John Becker and wife of Calgary, and the two Miss Grease of Cleveland, Ohio, were visiting at the home of Mr. Geo. Becker on Sunday last. John Becker is a brother of Geo. Becker of Crossfield.

Farmers get your buildings insured in the Wawanesa Mutual Fire Insurance Co. It is both economical and safe. \$1.10 per hundred for three years. Hultgren & Davis, Agents.

WATER! WATER!
WATER!
If you are short on water, and long on cash, see F. T. Williams

On Sunday last, October 30th, there was delivered a most inspiring Thanksgiving sermon by the Rev. W. A. Smith.

Mrs. Downs played the organ on Sunday afternoon last in the Methodist church.

Harry Mann was visitor to Calgary on Thursday.

Mr. and Miss Crampton of Youngstown, Alta., will occupy the house known as Noah's Ark for the coming winter.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist church will hold their regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Chas. Hultgren on Nov. 9th, instead of Nov. 2nd. We hope to have a large gathering.

A good position—Can be had by ambitious young men and ladies in the field of "Wireless" or Railway telegraphy. Since the 8-hour law became effective, and since the Wireless companies are establishing stations throughout the country there is a great shortage of telegraphers. Positions pay beginners from \$70 to \$90 per month, with good chance of advancement. The National Telegraph Institute operates six official institutes in America, under supervision of R. R. and Wireless officials and places all graduates into positions. It will pay you to write them for full details at Davenport, Ia., Cincinnati, O., Portland, Ore., or Memphis, Tenn.

A meeting of the ratepayers of Crossfield S.D. No. 752, will be held in the School house on Sat. Nov. 12 at 10 o'clock to elect a trustee in the place of Mr. J. A. MacDougall who has removed from this district.

Strayed—From the premises of J. T. Jonson, on sec. 15, T. 29, R. 1, west of the 4th; one sorrel pony, with colt, 14 faced. Black mare, with colt, has luter on. The sorrel pony would weigh about 400 pounds, and the mare would weigh about 700 pounds. Parties who know or can give good advice as to where these animals are, kindly let Mr. Jonson know. A reasonable reward will also be given for the return of these beasts. John T. Jonson, Crossfield, Box 823.

Two Americans were disputing, as to which had experienced the greatest cold in winter. Said one, "In the part of Iceland where I was last summer the ground is frozen so hard all the year around that when they want to bury a man they just sharpen his feet and drive him in with a pile hammer." The other replied: "Yes, I know that place. Didn't stay there long—found it not bracing enough for me. Went on to a small town, father north. The hotel which I was staying caught fire. My room was on the top story. No fire-escape or ladder in that primitive settlement. Stairs, cased burned away. Luckily I kept my presence of mind. Emptied my bath out of the window and slid down the icicle."—truth.

The Musical Eckhardts

The time is fast drawing nigh when the Musical Eckhardts will appear in the I. O. O. F. Hall at Crossfield, for the first time, though it is to be hoped that it is not the last, as this company are well worth the money to come and enjoy a pleasant evening with.

They do not need to be highly recommended, as the name alone, (when seen by parties who have been at their entertainments) will advertise for itself.

The Eckhardts, this year is positively larger and greater than ever before, so as that anyone intending to come to hear them will sure get their money's worth.

The splendid success of the past season has been of sufficient encouragement to warrant this remarkable family to purchase the finest musical novelties and musical instruments on the market.

They have added fifty new Swiss Bells to their former large collection, making the largest set of hand bells ever used by any company.

These beautiful bells are played by the five Musical Eckhardts,—Miss Ethel Eckhardt, having again joined the family, after an absence of three years.

The public may look forward to the greatest musical treat of a generation.

This company have been asked to return to several other towns with the same class of programme.

They will appear in the I. O. O. F. Hall on Monday night next, under the auspices of the I. O. O. F.

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The REGULAR MEETINGS of the above School Board will be held at the School House at 10 a. m. on the first Saturday in the following months: January, March, May, July, September and November.

All matters of business pertaining to this district will be attended to at this meeting.

The office of the Sec.-Treas. is in the real estate office next the Cornicle P. L. McNally, Chairman, G. W. Boyce, Sec.-Treas.

Public Notice

Notice is hereby given that anyone riding a bicycle on the sidewalks in the Village of Crossfield will be liable to a fine of \$1.00 to \$5.00 and costs. By order of the Village Council. Chas. Hultgren, Sec.-Treas.

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Commencing June 6 1910

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11.47	Airdrie	17.22
12.10	Crossfield	6.38
12.38	Carstairs	6.28
12.56	Didsbury	6.22
13.20	Olde	4.06
13.46	Bowden	5.36
14.06	Insaid	5.14
4.50	Ar. Red Deer Lx.	4.40
5.00	Lx. Calgary	4.30
5.45	Lacombe	3.47
6.20	Ponoka	3.09
7.00	Wetaskiwin	2.24
7.10	Millar	1.26
7.40	Leduc	11.38
8.15	Ar. Strathcona Lx.	1.00

Flag Stop.

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Velma Howard, the American
Bestwell for Selma Lagerlof.

Almost everybody has heard of Selma Lagerlof, one of the most famous of Sweden's women writers and educators, to whom the Nobel literary prize was awarded recently. But comparatively few people have heard of Velma Swanson Howard, Miss Lagerlof's English translator. Yet to Mrs. Howard's beautiful and faithful interpretations of her stories the Swedish authoress owes her present popularity here in America.

"The Wonderful Adventures of Nils," "The Christ Legend" and Miss Lagerlof's latest book, "The Girl From the Marshes," have all been translated with wonderful delicacy and faithfulness to the original by Mrs. Howard. When asked recently about her literary work Mrs. Howard said: "I scarcely know what to say about myself. I have given the best part of me to Miss Lagerlof for nearly four years, and I feel as if there is not much left of Velma Swanson Howard's personality. It has all been merged into the greater personality of Selma Lagerlof."

To one who knows Mrs. Howard there is no fear that her own charming self or her literary ability will ever become completely merged in that of another. Mrs. Howard's life has been one of varied activities and literary success. She has done very clever editorial and creative work both here and in her native country, Sweden. For eight years she followed the profession of acting, playing the Swedish character in the theatre. After retiring from the stage she gave lessons in readings and lectures. Indeed, one might say that she appreciated the life in this country and at great risk of losing her own personal reputation, for, strange as it now seems, at that time to openly court the appreciation of Ibsen's writings was to place oneself outside the pale of respectability.

But even as a child Miss Swanson had a capacity for discerning oris-



VELMA HOWARD HOWARD.

inality and genius in others and for impressing their qualities upon her auditors. An instance of the kind occurred in her fourteenth year when she was receiving her education at the public schools of Chicago. An opportunity of earning some pin money came to her during the summer vacation. It was to do some figuring in compound fractions for an insurance company. To a girl of fourteen the recompense of a dollar a day looked like a fortune.

But there was a Swedish girl in her class at the art school who was marvelled at figures, whose skill was the envy and admiration of the class. So great was this admiration that when an interview took place between Velma and the man who was to engage her services she told him all about her mathematical friend instead of trying to prove her own ability for the position. So well did she plead the cause of her prodigy, drawing upon her quickness and mathematical accuracy and finally triumphantly exclaiming: "Show the girl for you!" that the man gave her the job to the girl whom Velma Swanson had found for the road of her life.

And to quote Mrs. Howard: "I've been 'whoopee it up' for somebody or something ever since. I like it, too, as it takes me out of myself. Every Johnson needs a Howell in other words, every genius must have a promoter. And a good promoter has to have a certain kind of talent in order to convince people of the worth of his wares, whether these wares be books or buttons."

One of Mrs. Howard's pleasant remembrances is an interview she had with the late King Oscar of Sweden, and among her most cherished memories is a large photograph which his majesty gave her on that occasion.

Took Him at His Word.

Guest—Why did you put me in that weak bed? Host—You said you were a light sleeper.

SERVANTS IN GERMANY.

The Character Book Which Is Under Police Supervision.

Among the many domestic problems that Germany has solved to its own satisfaction is that of the giving or refusing of a "character" to a servant. The solving of this problem of the system in vogue in Germany shows how completely it answers its purpose.

Every man or woman seeking to enter the service of another, whether as a laborer, clerk or domestic servant, is under obligation to procure a service book, which after purchase must be officially stamped by the police authorities. The authorities enter in the book a description of the holder, having reference to age, personal appearance and religion.

When a situation is applied for the prospective employer can see at a glance whether the applicant has been in service before and if so what kind of work has been done. If the applicant secures the situation the employer writes in the book, "Entered the service of So-and-so of such a street and town," adding the date, a description of the work required and the amount of salary.

The employer retains the book as long as the engagement lasts and on termination he makes another entry, "Left my service on such a date," with a few lines as to character and the strength of the recommendation.

Thus the character book goes round, and the servant has never the uncomfortable necessity of seeking a mistress for a recommendation. Forged characters are practically impossible in the whole system is under police supervision.

Destitution in old age among domestic servants and the difficulty of artisans has become an impossibility in Germany, for within the last fifteen years or so it has become compulsory for all who earn less than \$50 a year to insure themselves against unemployment after their working lives are over.

Honor For Sir James.

On the great ocean greyhounds between New York and England it has been the custom to allow the widows and orphans of the seamen who perish while following their perilous avocation. Subscriptions are received at a concert given by the passengers. The most distinguished passenger is always selected to preside. This post of honor nearly always falls to the lot of some multi-millionaire or man of note of the United States or England.

The Canadian came into New York recently with 1,614 souls on board. As a sign of the changing times in the honor of speaking for the widows and orphans came to Sir James W. G. Macdonald, K. C. In a vigorous speech he reminded the passengers of their duty to those dependent on the brave men who had lost their lives on the ocean. No less than 150,000 had died during the last 35 years, and from British ships alone some 95,000 were drowned. The total loss of life from the ships of all nations was something approximating 200,000.

The contributions amounted to the largest sum received in a long time.

Insulted the Goldfish.

This time it's the kindergarten that has furnished a school reminder which deserves telling.

In the kindergartens of Toronto, gleams of goldfish are an interesting feature, and the feeding of the fish is a regular part of the pleasant kindergarten routine. In the case of one school the fish had been given breakfast, and the teacher had called the children back to their places.

The low who had started his school experience that morning, lingered near the goldfish.

"Come along, Bobby," said the teacher. "We're going to school." In a drawing voice, and with a tone that indicated greater interest in the fish than in the singing, Bobby said, "All right, was just looking at your sardines for a minute."

Novel Place Cards.

A novel place card, housewife, for the wedding breakfast or for a bride-maid's luncheon is made by setting small photographs of the bride, as many as there are guests.

The bride only are used. They are pasted on oblongs of water color paper in an archwise and a hair ribbon loop. The upper part of the card is shaped around the head to resemble a veil and ornamented with pen and ink or painted with a photograph in the color to look like a miniature.

Another set of cards may have the silhouettes of the bride and groom placed side by side, so that only half the groom's face, which is underneath, shows.

Stopping Undesirables.

Since the beginning of the year 1910 75 persons have been picked up at the frontier as undesirables, according to the report of the Ontario police. The provincial authorities claim that many of the lowest crimes committed are the work of just such people, who are rejected from other countries. Two of these undesirables were rejected by the United States authorities for murder, another for rape.

Pruning the Grapes.

In pruning the grape cut back to the third bud, as it is usually the first entirely perfect bud produced.

THE INDIAN POLICEMAN.

An In-exhoner-Chat on the Perils of the Oriental Peeler.

The European officers of the Indian police have the hardest-worked body of officials in the world; and their duties, more particularly in the most backward districts, are of an exceedingly varied and difficult nature.

From the earliest morning until late in the night they are on the alert, now quelling brawls in the bazaar, or in the case of a riot, now pursuing of dacoits and cattle thieves, or probing apparently unexplored mysteries of daring robbery and murder outrages. Then, after having passed the day in the arduous task of protecting the law-abiding citizens against the vast array of criminals, and trying to bring the latter to book, they are often called out to secure ascending elephants, running riot and causing devastation in the plantations, or to face an infuriating crowd from the attentions of a man-eating tiger.

In order to cope with all such eventualities, an inspector of a district, comprising perhaps forty or more miles of territory, is assisted by the other by his staff of impenetrable jungle, is given only one or two white constables and a number of coolie policemen. The latter are mostly Pathans, a physically well-developed and strong race, but not altogether quite unreliable and often treacherous.

Moreover, to increase further the difficulties of the position, the people in towns and villages show an open hostility to the white officer, and the police force. Instead of assisting, they place difficulties in the way, and in the case of a riot, they might be in possession of clues as to the identity or whereabouts of the criminals.

If, further, we take into consideration the fact that the criminal gangs are invariably of the most secret societies, such as societies of burglars, cattle thieves, house-breakers, and so on, the Indian policeman is able to gauge the enormity of the problems with which the Indian police have to cope in the course of their daily routine. Perhaps routine is hardly the word to describe conditions offering so much variety and excitement.

Thus, a couple of years ago, I was in charge of an extensive jungle district in the Punjab, some eighty miles to the south of Khan. At the time we were pursuing a particularly audacious gang of robbers, whose deeds and tactics proved them to be a class of professional criminals, and well acquainted with local conditions. They operated indiscriminately in the heart of the most lawless settlements, and had even forced their entrance into the police and military posts, with a particularly large number of arms, and all kinds of valuables on which they could lay their hands.

A peculiar feature of their mode of procedure was that they invariably administered some noxious drug to their intended victims, and whilst the latter were under its effect quietly raided the place and disappeared before the alarm could be given. This fact satisfied us that the native robbers were really a conspiracy, and whether they had been terrorized into silence, or whether they shared in the proceeds of the robberies, examinations and inquiries proved otherwise. Promises of reward and clearance of goods, and the use of long and short of arms, and in the absence of intimating evidence we could not even see them.

Cyclists' Paradise.

Denmark is described in the report of the American consul at Copenhagen as a wheeler's paradise, with an abundance of good roads, good lanes and special tracks in cities and few gradients. In Copenhagen, he says, there are 90,000 cyclists—probably a larger proportion to the population than will be found in any other city.

All My Pimples Gone

Girl Tells How a Blotchy Skin Was Cleared by a Simple Wash

"I was ashamed of my face," writes Miss Minnie Pickard, of Altamahas, after an wash with a hair tonic, but after using Dr. D. D. Prescription I can say that now there is no sign of the skin eczema, and that was three years ago."

Dr. D. D. has become so famous as a skin specialist that he has been called upon to treat all sorts of skin diseases, and his value is sometimes overlooked in clearing the skin of pimples, blackheads, and all other minor forms of skin impurities.

The fact is, that while Dr. D. D. is so penetrating that it strikes to the very root of eczema or any other serious skin disease, and his value is sometimes overlooked in clearing the skin of pimples, blackheads, and all other minor forms of skin impurities.

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When this soothing, healing ointment is applied to the skin and the benefits in short order. The itching, stinging sensations are overcome and with the wonderful relief thus obtained you are encouraged to continue the treatment until gradually the sores are healed up and the disease thoroughly wiped out.

It is equally as soothing and discouraging as disfiguring, itching skin diseases. In Dr. Chase's Ointment you have a cure for the skin ailment, and this ointment is so clean, pure and

JAMES AND DAUGHTERS.

Hannah Burnett, a fifteen-year-old girl of Verdun, has received a medal for her bravery in saving her mother from an infuriated bull by prodding the animal with a pitchfork.

Another notable feat has been accomplished by the "M. P. for Russia," a famous the world over for her political articles. It is her custom to live six months in London and six months in Russia.

The first woman to preach in Hungary is Julia Vargha, whose sermon was published in the Budapest papers. She is the daughter of a bishop, and her sermon are delivered in Klausenburg.

Mrs. Mary Emery, widow of a millionaire, has been married to a millionaire. She is the daughter of a bishop, and her sermon are delivered in Klausenburg.

Mrs. A. D. Whishop of Racine, Wis., is the oldest "freemason" in the United States. She is seventy-nine years old, and has taken a course in psychology and literature at the Ohio State university and plans a course that will keep her intellectually busy for some years.

OUR GREAT INLAND SEA.

Hudson Bay Is the Only Sea Which Is Bordered By But One Country.

Winnipeg Town Topics, a week-end paper, says: Hudson Bay is destined to figure in world politics in addition to figuring in Canadian politics.

The United States Government proposes to take the right of Canada to territorial jurisdiction over that body of salt water.

A strain has been evolved for some time that this matter would come up for consideration.

The position of Hudson Bay is unique. It is the only large sea having connection with the ocean that is surrounded on all sides by land under the same flag.

The entrance to the bay being more than sixty miles wide, in the narrowest part, it cannot be said that this connection is by way of waters that are territorial, as the term is generally understood.

The Baltic Sea is a large body of water with a narrow entrance, but its shores belong to three nations. The Mediterranean has a narrow entrance from the ocean, but its shores are owned by several countries.

Behring Sea is in a way enclosed by land, but its entrance from the ocean is wide, and the shores are owned by two countries.

The Sea of Japan is nearly all enclosed by land, but although there are several entrances from the ocean, but its shores are owned by two nations.

The same is true of the Black Sea. Hudson Bay is landlocked all but at the entrance, which is 60 miles wide, and no question has ever been raised that the land all along its shore line, which must measure 3,000 miles, belongs to one nation.

The question is one which, if raised, will probably go to The Hague Tribunal for settlement.

It is highly important that the jurisdiction of Canada over these waters should be established, and it can be under the principles of international law and the interpretations of treaties.

A Lesson on the Rail.

The engineer without fear at danger early awoke and when the train broke full supplies of water from the trough.

—Ludwig Kappeler.

something that it becomes a great pleasure to use it. It uses makes the skin soft, smooth and velvety and for this reason it is used by persons whose skin is susceptible to the changes of weather.

Mrs. Link, 12 Walker street, Halifax, N. S., states: "After three years of miserable torture and sleepless nights with terrible eczema, and after trying over a dozen remedies without obtaining anything but slight temporary relief, I have been perfectly and entirely cured by using Dr. Chase's Ointment. After the third or fourth application of this grand ointment I obtained relief, and a few boxes were sufficient to make a thorough cure. It is six months since I was freed from this wretched skin disease, and as there has been no return of the trouble I consider the cure permanent."

Dr. Chase's Ointment, 60 cts. a box, all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Toronto, will send for free copy of Dr. Chase's Recipes.

Words of Wisdom

Recheffon—Old age is a tyrant which forbids the pleasures of youth on pain of death.

Milton—For solitude sometimes is best society.

Hewlett—Hope is energy and energy is life. Life is happiness if rightly used. We would not beam of the earth to produce fruits and flowers, and Heaven sometimes frowns the earth to produce a rich crop of joy hereafter.

Mme. de l'Esparpasse—A woman who has been in a position to be married but has not been so, has formed her fashion marks as they appear.

ARE KNOWN AS THE FARMER'S FRIEND

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS DOING GREAT WORK IN THE PRAIRIES.

Michael Anderson Joins the Throng Who are Shouting their Praises—They cured his Gravel and Rheumatism.

Pine Valley, Man. (Special)—Michael Anderson, a well-known farmer living near here, is added to the number of those who have sent the echo of their praise to the "Dodd's Kidney Pills are the farmer's friend." And truly Mr. Anderson has reason to praise the great Canadian Kidney remedy. Listen to his experience:

"A strain and a bad cold started my troubles," says Mr. Anderson, and for twelve long years I was a victim of Kidney Trouble, Rheumatism and Gravel. Doctors attended me, and I tried many medicines, but they did not cure me. Dodd's Kidney Pills cured me in less than one month."

It is easy to do anything when you know how. Mr. Anderson went right to work. He took Dodd's Kidney Pills, and with the root gone the other disease disappeared. Dodd's Kidney Pills always make healthy kidneys and with healthy kidneys, you can't have Rheumatism or Gravel.

Above an emerald sea of sod the ocean sails like snow. The floor is carpeted with the heart's gleams with an angel's glow. A wholesome smell of bread, baked.

The spinning wheel's low hum; These, with an hundred homely tasks, Make of the day her music. Yet search the whole world through and through.

Her happiness to match—Her drowsy babe upon her breast, His hand upon the latch!

—Edith Langman Michaux in the Craftsman.

TWO AND A HALF HOURS ON OPERATING TABLE.

Specialist Could Not Remove Stone In The Bladder.

GIN PILLS PASSED IT.

"During last August I went to Montreal to consult a specialist as I had been suffering terrible with Stone in the Bladder."

He decided to operate but said the stone was too large to remove and too hard to break up. They told me to give relief. Sample box free. National Drug and Chemical Co., Dept. N. U., Toronto.

The relief of the pain. I took two boxes and went back to the apothecary and found the stone was smaller, but he could not remove it. Although he tried for two hours and a great deal of time, he returned home to take GIN PILLS, and my great surprise and joy, I passed the stone.

In the world, and because they did me so much good, I will recommend them all the rest of my life.

J. Albert Lessard.

50c a box—6 for \$2.50—all dealers, and more for the full trial. Give relief. Sample box free. National Drug and Chemical Co., Dept. N. U., Toronto.

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ROYAL YEAST CAKES

MOST PERFECT MADE

*Has been Canada's favorite Yeast over a quarter of a century. Enough for 5 cts to produce 50 large loaves of fine, wholesome, nourishing, home-made bread. Do not experiment—there is nothing "just as good."

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Wise Men and Women Know

that most of the sicknesses of life come from inactive bowels and from unhealthy condition of the organs of digestion. If your digestive system is not working right, your food does not nourish you—your blood and weakness follow; if your bowels are inactive—waste matter poisons the whole system and serious sickness is sure to follow. To take promptly

BEECHAM'S PILLS

is to save yourself trouble and expense. Gentle, but quick; safe, but thorough, they enable the bowels to carry away waste matter naturally and tone up the whole digestive system. They will not injure the most delicate. They help you to get your bowels and your digestive organs in that condition when they can take good care of themselves and of you. Beecham's Pills

Do Good Naturally

For families, Beecham's Pills are especially suitable. See instructions with each box. Prepared only by Thomas Beecham, St. Helena, Lancashire, England. Sold everywhere in Canada and U. S. America. In boxes 25 cents.



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We are everywhere with the standard goods. Paper and Match are our specialties. Let us know your wants—we'll do the rest!

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The Rayo Lamp is a high grade lamp, sold at a low price. There are lamps that cost more, but there is no better lamp made as yet. Constructed of nickel, nickel-plated, easily kept clean, convenient in any room in any house. There is nothing known to the art of lamp making that is left in the name of the RAYO Lamp as a light-giving device. Street dealer everywhere. If not at yours, write for descriptive circular to the nearest branch of The Imperial Oil Company, Limited.

One Way to Kill 'Em
Miss Timkins—It's dreadful that all your furniture was burned up.
Mrs. Winter—Yes, but we got rid of the roaches.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

Had the Combination
"Daubeny is quite an artist, is he not?"
"In his line. He draws his pay in advance and paints the town the same night."

Nautical Blood in Hens
Old Salt—"You can sit in the stern, Miss Landlady. If you think you can steer."

"Oh, I am sure I can. Our people came over in the steerage."

Good Measure
Customer—"You left me no ice this morning."

"Yes, ma'am. Didn't you notice that damp spot on the sidewalk?"

"Yes."

"Well, that was from your lump. It melted before I could get it in."

No better cigarette the world over than



Resurrection
President Johnson of the American league was pointing out to a sporting editor the wonderful money-making possibilities of the baseball business.

"Baseball is ingrained in our people," he said. "It is our time and money to base-ball though the heavens fall."

"That is a spice of truth in the story of the boss who said to his office boy: Well, Henry, I don't see how you will get to any of the games this season, as your grandmother died while football was on."

"But, sir," said the boy, "grandfather has married again much against the wishes of the family."

Worms sap the strength and undermine the vitality of children. Strengthen them by using Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator to drive out the parasites.

Might be Worse
Felixkohn—What do you think of grand opera in Esperanto?

Impresario—It would not be more intelligible than grand opera in English.

IMPOVERISHED BLOOD

A Common and a Dangerous Trouble—You Must Enrich the Blood to Escape Danger.

Anaemia is simply a lack of blood. It is one of the most common and at the same time most dangerous diseases with which growing girls suffer. It is common because the blood so often becomes impoverished during development, when girls are too frequently allowed to over-study, over-work and suffer from a lack of exercise. It is dangerous because of the stealthiness of its approach, often being well developed before its presence is recognized, and because of its tendency to grow so steadily worse, if not promptly checked, that it may run into consumption.

The value of the tonic treatment with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills should be known to every mother in the land. These Pills make new rich blood, tone the organs and nerves, bring a glow of health to pale, listless cheeks, and drive away the weakness, headaches, faintness, heart palpitation and loss of energy so noticeable in young girls who are suffering from anaemia. To all such Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are an actual life-saver. Miss Mabel McTavish, Prince Albert, Sask., says: "In my case I can only say that life had lost its magic, all work was a trial, and even pleasure only a task. When I went up a flight of stairs I was ready to drop from sheer weakness, and I had begun to think life would be a continued burden. But all this is now changed, thanks to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These were recommended to me, and after taking them for about a month I found my health renewed. I could sleep better, my appetite returned, and I was so strong and well that housework was no longer a burden to me. My sister seemed to be going the same way last summer and Dr. Williams' Pink Pills were at once sent for and two boxes made her as well as ever. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are now the prized medicine in our home, and doctor bills have been fewer since we discovered the virtues of this great medicine."

Sold by all medicine dealers or sent by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$9.50 from Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Just Like an Actor.
Towne—Gee whizz! where did you get this cigar?

Brown—Oh, that was the only kind I could get. It's a cheap thing, named after some bum actor.

Towne—Hub, that explains why it melted before I could get it in."

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, &c.

There's the Rub
Bloeba—"It's easy enough to take things philosophically if you only make up your mind to do it."

Slobb—"Yes, the trouble is to part with them philosophically."—Dallas News.

"What's the matter, little boy?"

"My maw's gone an' drowned all the kittens."

"Dear! dear! Now that's too bad."

"Yep, she p-promised—hoo, hoo!—at I c'd do it."—Harper's Weekly.

Know What He Was Talking About
Old Barnacle Ben sat on a tar barrel down on South street and rolled his tobacco in his blistered palm. "Yes, mate," he related to a small crowd gathered around him, "when I was on that Asiatic cruise I certainly saw some wonderful big fish. Why, off from the island of Borneo I caught a fish that measured ten feet from tip to tip."

"Come, come, Ben!" protested one of his listeners. "Fish are not measured from tip to tip. You must be speaking about birds."

Barnacle Ben frowned.

"Now, look here, mates," he growled, "I reckon I know what I am talking about. These here were flying fish and had wings."

Confirmed His Guess
A crowd of small boys were gathered about the entrance of a circus tent in one of the small cities in New Hampshire one day, trying to get a glimpse of the interior. A man standing near watched them a few moments; then, walking up to the ticket-taker, he said:

"Let all these boys in and count them as they pass."

The man did as requested, and when the last one had gone in he turned and said:

"Twenty-eight."

"Good," said the man; "I guessed just right," and walked off—Philadelphia Ledger.

PLANK FELL ON HIM.

Hamilton Man Badly Injured.

Reuben Atherton, of 367 Ferguson Ave., Hamilton, an employee of the Otis Elevator Co., sustained serious injury while at work. A plank fell from a height on to his right foot, crushing it badly. He was taken home, where Zank-Buk was applied with good results.

Telling his experience of the harm, he said: "After the doctor had drained the damaged foot with some preparation of his own I was in great pain, and as day after day I seemed to get no relief I left off medical treatment and tried Zank-Buk. From my very first application I traced an improvement. Zank-Buk really seemed to act like magic, cleaning all the unhealthy matter from the wounds, drawing out all discoloration, inflammation and soreness; and started healing in quick time. In two weeks the toe and foot were well again. Zank-Buk balm is certainly a wonderful healer, and I would not care to be without a box in the house. You can use the above statement in any paper, books or publications, as it may lead some other sufferer to use Zank-Buk and get relief as I did."

All workers should keep Zank-Buk handy. Applied to a cut or wound, it stops the pain, commences healing, and what is equally fine—it prevents all possibility of blood-poisoning. Zank-Buk is equally good for skin diseases, and cures eczema, itch, ulcers, abscesses, varicose ulcer, scald sores, blood-poisoning, etc., it heals cold cracks, chapped hands, frost bite; cures piles and all inflamed conditions of the skin and tissue. Fifty cents a box from all druggists and stores, but allow imitations and substitutions, some of which are highly dangerous and none are beneficial.

Mrs. Newrich—"Oh, dear no. My husband don't have to be in business no more. He's a gentleman now." Mrs. Newrich's husband must be a pleasant change for him.

Shiloh's Cure

quickly stops coughs, cures colds, heals the throat and lungs. — 25 cents.

It's easier for some men to paint words upon a wall than it is for them to tell the plain unvarnished truths.

A Purely Vegetable Pill.—The chief ingredients of Parmaire's Vegetable Pills are manroake and dandelion, and what is equally fine—it prevents all possibility of blood-poisoning. Zank-Buk is equally good for skin diseases, and cures eczema, itch, ulcers, abscesses, varicose ulcer, scald sores, blood-poisoning, etc., it heals cold cracks, chapped hands, frost bite; cures piles and all inflamed conditions of the skin and tissue. Fifty cents a box from all druggists and stores, but allow imitations and substitutions, some of which are highly dangerous and none are beneficial.

A Lot of us are poor because we just can't tolerate things offensive to good taste.

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If a man speaks of autumn lungs when a girl has red hair she knows he has poetry in his soul.

Do not let a cold settle on your lungs. Resort to Bickle's Anti-Consumptive Syrup at the first intimation of irritation in the throat, and prevent disease from lodging in the pulmonary organs. Neglected colds are the cause of untold suffering throughout the country, all of which could have been prevented by the application of this simple but powerful medicine. The price, 25 cents, brings it within the reach of all.

Shiloh's Cure

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At the Immigrant Office
Officer—Have you any means of support?

Newly Arrived—I don't understand.

"Have you any profession by which you can make a living?"

"Oh, no, I'm an artist."

IN PAIN FOR YEARS

"FRUIT-A-TIVES" BRINGS RELIEF.



MRS. FRANK EATON

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"I suffered for years from headaches and pain in the back, and I consulted doctors and took every remedy obtainable without any relief. Then I began taking 'Fruit-a-tives', the famous fruit juice tablets, and this was the only medicine that ever did me any real good. I took several boxes altogether, and now I am entirely well of all my dreadful headaches and backaches."

(Signed) MRS. FRANK EATON.

Get a box, 6 for \$2.50 or trial box, 25c. At dealers or from Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

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"Say, Bill, did you ever visit Litterot?"

"Yep."

"'Vot was de largest sentence yu ever run across?"

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are not caused by anything wrong in the head, but by constipation, biliousness and indigestion. Headache powders or tablets may deaden, but cannot cure them. Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills do cure sick headache in the sensible way by removing the constipation or sick stomach which causes them. Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills are purely vegetable, free from any harmful drug, safe and sure. When you feel the headache coming take

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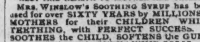
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L. C. NEWSOM,
Editor

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Wheat, No. 3, . . .	62c.
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Transient Advertisements

Wanted

At the office of publication of this periodical the following—advertisements subscriptions, job work and news items.

Strayed

Strayed a chance to make money from my hands last week. I did not use the Chronicle columns. Finder please return to Merchant Mossback, Nobusiness Corners.

Lost

An opportunity to make money if you do not advertise in our columns.

Found

A paying advertising medium in The Crossfield Chronicle. Through its columns you can sell your goods, find stray cattle and you have no worry.

Council Meetings

The council of the Village of Crossfield will meet in the hall known as the Bishop's Hall on the first Tuesday of each alternate month, commencing with February 4, 7 p.m.

By Order of the Village Council
5-524 Chas. Hultgren, Sec. & Treas.

Have You Land For Sale?

If you have land for sale near Crossfield at a bargain for cash, write Washington Alberta Land Co. 738-12 ave. West. Calgary giving full description with improvements, and number of the Section and I will look it up at once, we also have land for sale on crop payment. 825

ESTRAY

On the premises of Jno. Lennon, on Section 25-28-3-5, 5 miles west of Crossfield, since June 1910. 1 team of dark grey mares, 3 years old, no brands visible, weight about 800 lbs. small bred. 810p

IT WAS MARY'S OWN IDEA

"Did you mail my letter, Mary?" asked her mistress. "It was an important one, you know." "Yes, ma'am, indeed I did." "But why have you brought back the two cents I gave you for the stamp?" "Sure, I didn't have to use it, ma'am," replied Mary. "I slipped the letter in to the box while nobody was looking."

Where is Fort George?

Edmonton, Nov. 1.—That it will be some time before the Grand Trunk Pacific will be in a position to announce the location of the townsite of Fort George, is the statement of C. Wiscelini, chief clerk of the land department of the railway company, who was in the city on business in connection with the town site property at Edmonton.

"It all depends upon whether we secure the Indian reserve at Fort George. If we do not secure this property it is altogether likely that we will have to move our townsite away from there altogether. There has been nothing definitely settled yet regarding that townsite," he said. "It seems to me," continued Mr. Wiscelini, "that the government of the country should take steps to put a stop to the undue speculation in townsite subdivisions that is going on. There is nothing to warrant the indiscriminate sale of subdivision property around our townsites that has been taking place."

John Regan and 13 Horses Burned to Death at Brandon

Brandon, Nov. 1.—A terrible happening occurred in the Canadian Northern Railway yards at 4 o'clock this morning when John Regan and thirteen horses were burned in a car standing on the track. The horses were the property of the Hanbury Manufacturing company, and were being shipped to the company's lumber camp at Roblin.

Regan, the victim of the fire, is supposed to have been in the car attending to the horses and to have gone to sleep leaving a lighted lantern standing near the car. The lantern was evidently kicked over by the horses, setting fire to the car and driving the animals to a state of frenzy that made the escape of Regan impossible.

It is believed the unfortunate man was kicked and trampled to death shortly after the fire started, as the charred remains indicate such was the case.

Two other men in the car with Regan escaped.

The fire made great headway before it was noticed, and when assistance came and the car was opened only two of the fifteen horses could be got out. The loss to the Hanbury company will be 2,500. A coroner's inquest is being held.

Vancouver's Apple Show.

Vancouver, B.C., Oct. 31.—In the presence of a distinguished company, and a record attendance, which included Lieutenant Governor Patterson, who opened the first Canadian National Apple show to day. During the opening ceremonies the big Vancouver horse show building, enlarged to nearly twice its size, was crowded to its capacity. Twenty carloads of apples are on exhibition, comprising 3,421 separate entries, 12 of these being carload exhibits.

The management will be called upon to pay practically the entire \$22,000 offered as prize money, as nearly every class is filled.

The show is of an international character, for not only is every province of Canada represented, but several of the states are showing, the state of Washington is represented in the carload class.

The band of the 48th Highlanders from Toronto, is the principle musical attraction.

M. W. A. Dance and Supper

One of the most enjoyable and pleasant evening's ever held in Crossfield took place on Monday evening last, October 31st, Thanksgiving Day, when the Modern Woodmen of America gave an "All Welcome Dance and Supper." In fact, we,

the "Woodmen," would venture to say, that this was one of the best of enjoyable evenings ever held this fall.

The music rendered by Messrs. G.W. Boyce, Geo. Clarkson, and Chas. Gravelly, which was sure hard to beat by anyone.

By nine o'clock, all was in alacrity with over fifty couple and the dances began, which was highly celebrated until the hour of 11.30, when a call of fourteen couple was ordered for supper, which was in readiness at the Alberta Hotel. This order was repeated three times, yea, four times before everyone had indulged in a great Thanksgiving Supper.

The dancing of course did not stop all through the evening's program, as there forty-two couple who were always in eagerness for the dances of the evening.

By 1.30 a.m. on Tuesday morning, supper was over and then began the meriment of a full house of fifty-six couple which danced until the wee sma' hours of the morning, before their departure for home, and every one passing the remark that they had enjoyed themselves very much.

The members of the Modern Woodmen of America wish to Thank the parties for the music which was rendered by them during the evening, and last, but not least, the parties who prepared the elegant Thanksgiving supper.

Nurse Showed Bravery

Fort William, Ont., Oct. 27.—After winning her fight for the life of Wm. Sommers, the local fireman, who was frightfully wrecked in the Canadian Pacific railway wreck at Cartier last Sunday, Miss Blanche Perry, trained nurse was married here.

Miss Perry was a passenger for Fort William on the express train which collided head-on with an eastbound freight. An engineer and fireman were killed outright, and Wm. Sommers was so badly injured that it was feared he could not survive. Miss Perry was the only person on board skilled in dressing wounds, and was one of the first to respond. Garbed only in a dressing sacque, and at the peril of her own health, she worked over wounded until the arrival of the relief train. Then without even stopping to secure a hat, the young nurse continued the fight until the victim reached the Chapeau hospital.

In the meantime her own train had gone west, carrying with it her purse, ticket and clothing. She did not delay about her belongings, but hurried to Fort William to arrange for her wedding, which took place in the Baptist church. Mr. William Mackenzie, of the Imperial Oil company, is the lucky man. The physicians at Chapeau say that Miss Perry's bravery saved Sommers' life. He had been injured so severely that correspondents reported him dead.

Railway men all along the division are contributing to a purse in recognition of the brave deed.

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Maritime Provinces

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Fine Job Work a Specialty

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neatness and despatch